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PATENT

Attorney Docket No. 08702.0195-04000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Laure DUMOUTIER et al.) Group Art Unit: 1646
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Application No.: 10/627,273) Examiner: Nirmal Singh Basi
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Filed: July 25, 2003)
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For: ISOLATED NUCLEIC ACID) Confirmation No.: 7604
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants petition for a three-month extension of time to file a reply to the Office Action mailed October 13, 2006. A fee of \$1,020.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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